'Do you want to be ground to powder?' I sed, 'Yes, I do, if there is a powder grindlet handy.' When he struck me a disgustin' blow in my left eye, which 'cally. His parents lived near by, and I will simply state that fifteen minutes after I'd gone for him, his mother, seein' the prostrate form of her son approachin' the house onto a shutter, carried by four men, run out of doors, keerfully looked him over, and sed, 'My son, you've been foolin' round a thrashin' masheen. You went in at the end where the put they grain in, come out with the straw, and then got up in the thingumajig, and let the hosses tred on you, didn't you, my son?' You can imagine by this what a disagreeable person I am when I'm angry."

A Cross Husband Conquered.

He came into the breakfast room one morning, and in a moment it was seen that a cloud was on his brow. There sat his lady-love waiting for him; the table fairly groaned, not with plated silver, but the solid material. The cloth was white as the snow; the family were seated around in pleasant expectancy; everything was smoking bot, and not an article there but even a pampered appetite could revel on. But the man's favorite dish was not there. Closer he came to the table, and, with the inquiry, "Did you not know that I wanted a shad for breakfast?" he raised his foot and overturned the whole table on the floor.

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Not a great while after that he died

some whisky for the brandy."

Barkeeper hands him out the whisky;
he turns out a full glass, drinks it down. and starts out,

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do not go to school. Thirty per cent. of the English army can not read or

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